



n. y.—by golly i never thought i wood live to see a guy that didnt know nothing about baseball but the wimmen & they know enuff about it. to ast kweshuns which is a lot more than a englisher who came over to this city last week & saterdy he didnt have nothing to do for the firms were all closed & a bizness man says, why man alive this is a good chanet to go out & see the giants play which they do with the xinnzinnati reds.

so he goes out rite away after lunch & invests in a grandstander purty soon the giants with matty in the leed comes out & the reds they come out too

the englisher sets up & watches them toss the pill aroun & warm up & then he settles down in his seat for a nap from which he wakes up just as they was going to the benches

well, he says to his self, i dont care a lot for this game but i am glad i saw i so i can tell the folks at home about it & he makes a bee line for the gate

outside he met this frend of hisn who says whats the matter, and the englisher says yes i liked the game all rite but i coodnt keep track of the score very well

why man alive, the other fellow said busting rite out laffing, you didnt see no game for that was only the practice before the game starts, but the englisher says well, thats enuff for me

DOCTOR'S TEMPER

When a doctor is irritable it may be because he is out of patients

A MILITARY TRICK

For the whole of one Sunday a party of the Civilians' training corps had been engaged in learning the art of bridge building. For the last hour or so they had worked on their own, as their instructor was engaged elsewhere. But before they were dismissed he came back to inspect their work.

"Why this affair would collapse in half an hour," he exclaimed, in angry surprise, indicating where the knots on one side were all tied wrongly.

"That's all right, sir" replied the maker of the knots, calmly. "This bridge is designed for the enemy to cross, not our men."

IN THE VERNACULAR

"You advertised as chauffeurette-maid."

"Yes, madam."

"What were your duties at your last place?"

"I drove and cleaned the cars single-handed."

"And as maid?"

"I took down my lady at night and assembled her in the morning, madam."—Punch.

SOFT SNAPS

